WEAKNESS ON MARKET

Prices Dropped Back Easily and Without Opposition Yesterday.

RELAPSE IN MANY CIRCLES

Strike of Freight Handlers Regarded With Disfavor by Brokers.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, May 24.—Prices dropped tack easily and practically without opposition to-day about the level of last Friday before the little stir in the market on that day caused by last week's great loan contraction by the banks. The weakness was not due to-day, so far as could be perceived, to any new element of weakness. Rather it was simply a recognition of the abortion of an incipient boom and the hasty getting out of small speculativa holdings in consequence. With the relapse in the money market, the bankers' loan bills, which had weak-With the reispse in the money market, the bankers' loan bills, which had weak-ened the exchange market, disappeared, and gold was engaged for export Thursday to the extent of \$2,000,000, all that the as-say office could furnish. Speculative deto the extent of secondary, and the continuous and the continuous and the presence of the difficulty were regarded here with disflowers and fears of a spread of the difficulty were regarded here with disflower. Published reports of plans for the large curtailment of pk from production were regarded a bad augury for industry and business, and had special effect on United States Step preferred. Attention was given to the hearing before the interstate Commorce Commission of charges of discrimination by the local roads, and the presence of the district attorney of the United States was used to give an impression that government action under the anti-trust act was in contemplation. The last prices of the day were near the lowest, and the closing tone was heavy and very will. Bonds very easy. Total sales, par value, \$1,705,000.

United States were 245,300 shares.

On call. Total sales were 245,300 shares.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

	Richmond,	Va.	May	24.	1904.
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RAILROAD			Par.		
Atlanta and	Charlotte			155	
Atlantic Coa	st Line A		100	104	
Atlantic Coas				106	
Atlantic Coas					
Chesapeake at	nd Ohio		199	30	***
R. F. and I				210	225
Seaboard Air	Line pfd.		100	1614	
Saeboard Air	Line com.		100	714	8
Southern Ra	ilway pfd.		100	82	
BANK AND					
Virginia Trust	Co	99,000	100		100
INSURANCE					
Virginia Fire			95		23
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		mounts.	100		
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BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET. BALTIMORE, MD., May 24.—Seaboard Al Line common, 74.98; do. preferred, 164.917 Atlantic Coast Line common, 107;4.2106.

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The cotton market opened weak at a decline of 6711 points under heavy selling by yesterday's buyers who were disguated, apparently, by the disappointing cables, particularly as concerned with the spot market, which reported sales of only 4,000 hales at a decline of 12 English points. It soon was a concerned with the spot market, which reported sales of only 4,000 hales at a decline of 12 English points. It soon was the control of the property of the spot of t

600 bales.

Receipts at the ports to-day were 7,584 bales against 3,167 last week and 4,771 last year, For the week 25,000 bales against 2,153 last year, For the week 25,000 bales against 2,153 last year, To-days' receipts at New Orleans were 899 bales against 2,203 last year, and at Houston 741 against 60 last year.

Open.	High.	Low	. Clos.
Cotton futures opened	easy and	closed	stendy:
May12.65	12.88	12.60	12.60
June	12.76	12.72	12.85
July12.80	13.07	12.78	12.03
August	13.62	13.34	12.56
September11.18	11.87	11.12	11.83
October10.82	10.99	10.76	10.93
November10.67	10.90	10.67	10.84

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PRIVATE WIRES TO PRINCIPAL MARKETS.

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Official Range and Sale of Stocks in New York

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CLOSING BOND QUOTAT

Chicago, R. I. and Pacific 4s.
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Chicago, R. I. and Pac. col. 5s.
C. C. C. C. and St. Louis gen. 4s.
Chicago Terminal 4s.
Consolidated Tobacco 4s.
Colorado and Southern 4s.
Denver and Rio Grande 4s.
Eris prior lien 4s.
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Eris prior Variant Colorado and Bouthern 4s.
Louisville and Nash. Unified 4s.
Mexican Central 1st.
Minn. and St. Louis 6s.
Missouri, Kannas and Texas 9s.
New York Central gen. 25s.
Northern Pacific 4s.

Cotton, quiet; middling, 18.25; gross receipts.

182 bales; sales, 558 bales; stock, 50.389 bales; export to the Continent, 1.894 bales.

Total to-day at all seaports—Net receipts, 4,594 bales; export to France, 9.409 bales; to the Continent, 2.004 bales; stock, 575.371 bales; Consolidated at all seaports—The free plates; consolidated at all seaports—The free plates; to France, 5.499 bales; to France, 5.499 bales; to France, 5.490 bales; to France, 5.490 bales; to France, 5.503 bales; to The Continent, 2.465,490 bales; to Japan, 41,226 bales; to Mexico, 25,671 bales.

to the Continent, 2,463,99 bates, to Japan, 40,326 bales; to Mexico, 2,561 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., May 24.—There was a good inquiry to-day for spot cotton; off-wings continue light. Sales 2,700 bales, instuding 50 1 oarrive and 390 L o. b.; delivered on contracts 300 bales. Quotations und 300 km of 320 bolls. Quotations und 300 km of 320 bolls. Quotations und 320 km of 320 bolls. The decline in Liverpool were fairly advance was expected, caused a profit-taking by shorts caused a recovery of 15 points. The distant months showed similar movement, but in a narrower way. The Weather Bureau's weekly summary was extremely buillah. While in the earlier hours prices stayed well below the closing of yester-day the crop report sent them up to about the level of yesterday's close. In the trading July first Last 29 points at 12.55, recovered to 12.15, declified to 18.03 and finally recover was steady with net gains 477 on the new.

Cotton futures steady: May, 19.37 bid; June, 12.9712.55; July, 13.19; August, 12.912.25; September, 11.9911.20; October, 10.79210.11; November, 10.69210.51; December, 10.69210.61; January, 10.64210.65.

PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 24.-FLOUR-Firm, but reaches.

Grop news. The close shower have corp news. The close shower have cline. July closed at \$1\fo.c.; September, \$3\fo.c.; December, \$3\fo.c.; Orga-Firm; No. 2 nominal. Option market was dull and easier on the splendid weather was dull and easier on the splendid weather was dull and easier on the splendid weather and crop outlook, closing \$4c\$, net lower, except May, which was \$1c\$, ligher on manipulation. May closed at \$2\fo.c. | Agie of the period of the self-quiet. Clusted hams, \$2\fo.c. | Deep pound. Lard—Quiet. Vestern ateamed. \$4.70. | Period of the self-quiet. Note that the self-quiet. Note the self-quiet. Period of the

dairy, 13917sc. Cheese-Film. Calc. Sind., Sind., Colored, Sc.; smail white. Picc. Eggs-Weak. State. Fennsylvania and nearby, 20c; Southern. Inferiors, 13914c.

Coffee-Spot Rio, quiet. No. 7 involce, 63c.; mild. quiet; Cordova. 10913c. The market for coffee futures opened sitsay at a partial advance of 5 points on a moderate buying movement by Wall Street, and while demand was not particularly act the market showed firmness during the coltre session and closed firmness during the coltre session and closed net 5910 points, and coltred firmness during the coltre session and closed net 5910 points, and coltred firmness during the coltre figure. Sugar-Raw film; fair refning. 3:1-16c; centrifigal. 3 mm. Confectioners' A. 44.80; mould A. 5.3; granulated, 4.90; cubes, 52.90.

Pointoes-Steady; Southern (new), 33.6094.75; State and Western, 32.5093.00; Jersey sweets, 1595.00; other domestic, 34.6346c. Cabbages-Steady; Southern, barrel-crates, \$162.25. Cotton-By steam to Liverpool, 12c.

CHICAGO, ILLs., May 24—An unexpectedly small decrease in the world's visible supply caused weakness in what to-day. Weather conditions were also bearish. At the close July wheat was of '5401 Corn is down \$6:0 outs show a loss of '4050: provisions are unchanged to 75:0. Does. The leading futures ranged as follows:

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WHEAT-No. 1.		CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF THE		9514
May	98	98	94%	874
July (old)	. 85 %	85%	878	0176
July (new)	. 017h	87%		8014
Sent. (old)		8214	81%	
Sept. (new)	80%	80%	8014	801/
CORN-No. 2.	04440		4004	
May	. 4776	4776	4736	4734 4734
July	4574	4878	4734	312
Sept	. 4712	4714	4734	9179
0A 15-Nu. 2		4041	40	40%
May	4054	8814	3744	8794
July	3814		3012	80%
Sept	30%	30%	9773	9778
Minis PORK-Pe	r bol.	11.15	10.93	11.00
July	11 25		11 1734	11.224
Sept	11.50	44.00	44.41.74	
LARD-Per 100 lt	6.35	6.40	6.30	6.324
July	8 5714	6.5716	6.4714	6.50
SHORT HIBS-P	r 200 1			District Co.
			6.3714	6.40
Sept	6.60	6.6216	6.55	6.5714
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ing barley,35@38c.	fair t	o choice	maltir	e 45/6
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the Cheese-Easy	: new B	rades, 7	%@914c.	

jāc. Cheese—Easy; new graues, 'rageric.'

BALTIMORE, MD., May 21—FLOUE—Quiet and unchanged. What—Weak; spot. contract and itse montage. What—Weak; spot. contract the montage and the changed tage and unchanged at large, Stydes, e.; medium, Stydes, small, Stydes, Sugar—Firm and unchanged.

RICHMUND GRAIN MARKET.

QUOTATIONS		HEERS.
WHEAT- \$1.10 Longberry \$1.11 Mixed 1.11 Shortberry 1.11 No. 2 red 1.11 Va. beg jots 1.00	8003	1.12
White, Va. bag lots	600	61 6014

CATTLE MARKETS. RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stock Yards.) Richmond, Va., May 24, 1994. Richmond, Va., May 24, Receipts for the week ending Monday:

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CATTLE-Receipts, 204 head. Market fair at
last week's quotations. Best steers, 50554c.;
medium to good, 4% 715c.; common to fair.
3764c.; helfers, 37, 434c.; dry cows, 2744c.;
buils, 32 fc.; calves, 54, 6764c.; fresh cows, 328, 64
43.; quarantine cattle, 37, 64, 64; c, buils, 32 33; c.
HOGS-Receipts, 416 head. Market shade
higher, Good hogs, 4.59, 21, 5c.; roughs, 4744c.;
shoats, 44, 64, 60c.
SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 459 head.
Market fair. Good sheep, 44, 65c.; common,
37, 574c.; bucks, 32, 33c.; spring lambs, 67c.
CHICAGO, ILL., May 24, CATTLE-Re.

37, 34c.; bucks, 3933cc.; spring lambs, 67c.

CHICAGO, ILL., May 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500 head. Market steady. Good to prime steers, 15.2675.5; poor to medium, 44.256 5.35; stockers and feeders, 13.2564.75; cows and heifers, 11.536.00; canners, 14.5562.75; bulk of sales, 14.2564.35; calves, 55.258.00; Texas-fed seiers, 14.5564.35; calves, 55.258.00; Texas-fed seiers, 14.564.35; calves, 55.258.00; Texas-fed seiers, 14.456.46; spring for to-morrow, 37.600 head; estimated for to-morrow, 37.600 head; astimated for to-morrow, 37.600 head; have to the seady. Mared and butchers, 44.564.65; light, 14.4564.65; light, 14.564.55; bulk of sales, 14.5664.50; Sheep—Receipts, 10.000 head. Sheep and lambs, strong to 10c. higher. Good to choice wethers, 55.2563.51; fair to choice mixed, 1455.00; native lambs, 15.2063.50; spring lambs, 1507.50.

NEW YORK, May 14.—BEEVES—No trading; feeling steady. Dressed beef, steady at 1983/2, per pound for native sides. Caives—Steady; choice veals, 85.59. City dressed veals, 698/2, per pound. Sheep and Lambs—Firm; spring lambs, 18.09; winter do, 47.09; aheap, 18.09/2.49. Dressed mutton, ateady at \$710. per pound, dressed lambs, 1991c, per pound. Dressed spring lambs, 14218c.; country dressed spring lambs, 14218c; country dressed spring lambs, 1436-50 per carcass. Hogs—None on sale. Feeling nominally unchanged.

BAITIMORE, MD., May 24.—CALVES—Choice light veals, 656%; per pound; good veal, 55%; poor to good, per head, 3335.00. Lambs and Sneep-Spring lambs, choice and fat, 787%; per pound; poor, small, thin, 6% 61%; per pound; wool sheep, per pound; best stock, 55%; c. good, per head, \$2.5093.00; inferior, per nead, \$150.50 oid bucks, per pound, 55% as to quality and weight.

UNION STOCK YARDS, PITTSBURG, PA.
May 24.—CATTLE—Supply light; market
steady. Choice, \$4.595.59, princ, \$5.555.31,
247. \$4.75.55.25, princ, \$5.555.31,
247. \$4.75.25, princ, \$6.25, prin

CINCINNATI, O. May 24.—HOGS—Quiet and lower at \$3.0064.70. Cattle—Steady at \$2725@ 4.50. Sheep—Strong at \$3.3664.50. Lambs— Strong at \$1.2566.00.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

PEANUT MARKETS. PEANUT MARKETS.

PETERSBURG, VA., May 21.—PEANUTS—
Continue firm at 31.16 per bushel for spanish;
sellers are anking higher prices; very few being
offered. Virginias firm at 4%c for fancy stock.
Some shipments are being made from Petersburg of stock that had been stored in this
city.

NORFOLK, VA., May 21.—PEANUTS—
Fancy, 4%géc,; strictly print, 4%g4%c; prime,
14.63%c; Spanish, 31.23 per
bushel.

DRY GOODS MARKET NEW YORK, May 24.—Buyers of dry goods were present in large numbers at the auction sale, and while good prices were obtained on staple lots, high-priced fancy goods were bought at low figures and the same sale, and while good prices were the same same sale of the sale of the same sale of the sa

NAVAL STORES. NAVAL STORES.

WILMINGTON. N. C., May 24.—SPIRITS
TURPENTINE—Nothing doing; receipts, 73
casks. Rosin—Nothing doing; receipts, 73
barrels. Tar—Firm att.\$1.99; receipts 39 barrels.
Crude Turpentine—Firm at \$2.7504.09 and \$1.25;
receipts 30 barrels.
SAVANNAH, GA., May 24.—TURPENTINE—
Firm at 54½c; sales, 544 casks; receipts, 547
casks; exports, 918 casks. Rosin—Firm; sales,
1,332 barrels; receipts, 2,901 barrels; coxports,
200 barrels.
CHARLESTON. S. C., May 24.—TURPEN. CHARLESTON, S. C., May 24,—TURPEN-TINE-Firm at 584c. Rosip-Firm.

COTTONSEED OIL MARKET. COTTONSEED OIL MARKEY.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Cottonseed oil was duil and featureless with prices partially lower under absence of support. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills. 20c.; prime summer yellow, 21½0.; off summer yellow, nominal; prime white, 33c.; prime winter yellow, 35c.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, MAY 24, 1904, ARRIVED.

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Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandiae and passengers, Old Dominion line. A steamer New York of the Steamer Steven and Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Virginia Navigation Co.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion line. Barge Atlantic, Belch, James River, light,

PORT OF WEST POINT, MAY 24, 1901.

Danyille, Short, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.
Elin City, Haynes, Mattaponi River Landings, passengers and general cargo.

Danville, Short, Ballimore, passengers and general carge.
Elm City, Haynes, Mattaponi River Landings, passengers and general carge.

PORT NEWPORT NEWS, MAY 24, 1904.
ARRIVED.
Schooner S. S. Thorpe, Boston.
SAILED.
Steamer Evelyn, Boston.
Schoonner Horace A. Stone, Boston.
Schooner Lyman M. Law, Portland.

THE WEATHER

Cold and Rainy Seasons Check Growth of Virginia Crops.

TOBACCO SITUATION

Plants in Some Sections Are Late and Scarce-Truck Crops in Fine Condition.

States Weather Bureau for the week ending May 24th, is as follows:

GENERAL SITUATION.

Crop growth was retarded by cool and rainy weather during the forepart of the week and by cool weather during the latter part, though more favorable temperatures prevailed Saturday and Sunday. These conditions, though favorable to small grains, as wheat and oats, were not suited to other kinds of crops, which are now somewhat behind their average seasonal condition. Pastures and mowing meadows in Tidewater counties did yery well, however, but in the Middle

Property Transfers.

Richmond: Nannie T. and A. C. Brooker to William H. Walton, 20 feet on the cast side of St. John Street, between Hill and Coutts Streets, \$1.100.

West End Home Building Fund Association to A. W. McClay, 20 feet on the north side of Grove Avenue, 25 7-12 feet west of Elm Street, \$900.

Edward Robinson to John Allen, 20 feet on the east side of Ninth Street, 31.60.

Mina, Bettle V., Mirlam, Essle D. Isaac and Bernard H. Caron to J. D. Carneai, 25 feet on the south side of Leigh Street, 30 feet east of First Street, \$2.500.

Shelton W. Davis and wife to John

Leigh Street, 50 feet east of First Street, 12,500.

Shelton W. Davis and wife to John Dahn, 42 feet on the north side of Grove Avenue, 42 feet west of Mulberry Street, subject to deed of trust for 51,493,33, 51,590.

L. M. Gill to John W. Williams, 60 feet on the west side of First Street, 79 7-12 feet south of Canal Street, 33,000.

Mary A. and Franklin Harwood's trustee to Bernard H., Isaac, Bettle V. Mina, Miriam and Essle Caron, 20 1-4 feet on the west side of Reservoir Street, between Main and Cary Streets, 44,650.

Lizzle E. and Walter D. Moses to Virginia C. Blankenship, 22 1-2 feet on the north side of Franklin Street, 33 1-12 feet west of Sixth Street, 85,000.

James A. Scott to Mary E. Scott, interest in 30 feet on the south side of Main Street, between Twenty-seventh and Pear Streets, and interest in the estates of J. L. Scott and Junius A. Scott, 550, Henrico: Marion H. Tyler and wife to J. D. Carneal, trustee, lot 18 in block 13. Chestnut Hill, \$1,673,12. (By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24.—The
weekly crop report of the Weather Bureau says;
Cotton continues backward and has

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NEW YORK, May 24.—Imperial—H. Campbell; Broadway Central—R. T. Cole; Manhattan—C. L. Kirk; York—A. E. Langhorne and wife; St. Denis—J. M. Fourqurean. SULLY SCHEDULES FILED.

Richmonders in New York.

Barge Havana, Boston. Barge Havana, Boston. Schooner B. F. Poole, Portsmouth. Schooner Henry O. Barrett, Boston.

Property Transfers.

Papers Show Bankrupt Firm's Liabilities and Assets.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 24.—The schedules NEW YORK, May 24.—The schedules filed by Sully and Company in the United States District Court to-day show firm liabilities of \$2,565,956 and assets of \$4,119,627. Of the indebtedness \$1,393,622 are unsecured. The schedules mention \$50,000 of indebtedness which it is said should be paid by other parties. The same \$50,000 is mentioned in the assets as bills and notes held by the firm. There is due Sully and Company in open account \$65,324. It has, the schedules state, stocks and bonds margined in the amount of \$25,100, and unliquidated claims to the amount of \$1,235,250 and \$2,167,490. Deposited in bank the firm has 445,848 and three memberships in the Cotton Exchange of New York, valued at \$35,175.

Sully personally has an indebtedness of \$24,40,50 and assets of \$2,074,129. Of the former \$256,732 is unsecured. Individual assets consist of real estate, \$266,000; cash, \$3,584; note, \$1,000; due to the stocks.

tate, \$266,000; cash, \$3,684; note, \$1,000; due on accounts, \$1,475,280; bonds and stocks. \$311,925.
Property in reversion, \$11,000, and \$5,000 which he claims is exempted.
In the case of the other members of the firm the assets far exceed the linbilities.

PLUNGED OVERBOARD.

German Sailor on Vineta Believed to Have Been Drowned.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEWPORT NEWS. VA., May 24.—
While Heinrich Klemme, of the crew of the German cruiser Vineta, was moving about the main deck of the warship last night, he was suddenly seen to plunge overboard, as if he had stumbled and lest his balance. Officers of the cruiser to-day came ashore and requested Chief of Police Johnson to assist them in making a search for the bedy. They are confident that the man was drowned, and that it was an accident, not suicide.

PRAYERS OFFERED FOR SICK HORSE

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 24.-William H. Brown, president of the Brown Ketcham Iron Company, has resorted to Christian science to save the life of a family horse which has been suffering for a week from lockjaw. The police were summoned on the case to-day, upon the ground that such treatment of the animal

Mrs. Brown said that her husband had been praying morning, noon and night for the recovery of the animal, and that he had as much faith in Christian science as he had in the solidity of a mountain. The police were informed that Mr. Brown had broken bottles of medicines left by a veterinary surgeon, and had asserted that since he began praying for the cure of the animal the horse had shown improvement.

The police decided that no cruelty was being practiced, as the veterinary had had his chance and had falled. Mr. Brown said to-day: "I resort to prayer in all my sorrows." Mrs. Brown said that her husband had

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The climatic and crop bulletin, issued by the local department of the United States Weather Bureau for the week end-

are now somewhat behind their average seasonal condition. Pastures and moving meadows in Tidewater counties did very well, however, but in the Middle division and particularly in the Valley division they were held back more or less by the cool weather prevailing. Field work was also interrupted by the rain and wet condition of the soil. Gardens are still backward. In Tidewater districts the planting of peanuts went on as opportunity permitted. Some damage to young melon vines by insects was done in trucking districts, and cut and bud worms are reported working in other crop in various localities. Light frost occurred on the 16th, but no material damage was done.

Whiter wheat continues to improve. The cool weather of the spring has been very beneficial to this crop. There are some localities where the stalks are short and thin in the field, but as a rule the color is good and the crop thrifty.

Winter oats are generally poor. A considerable acreage of this crop has been plowed under and the land put in corn. Spring oats are progressing satisfactorily in nearly all sections, though locally in the Valley division the late seeding seems to be making a alow advance. The early-seeded crop is doing very well.

Corn. for the most part, is coming up to good stands. Planting is finished except in low lands, where wet soil and cool weather have prevented this work. In portions of the Valley division correspondents report that cut worms are doing some damage.

Tobacco has been retarded in growth by the cool weather, and in some portions of the main tobacco growing districts plants are reported late and scarce. In portions of Cumberland, Bedford, Mechleriburg and Notloway counties some transplanting has been done. Cut worms are working in the crop locally in Notloway county.

Potatoes (Irish) are coming on nicely. The crop is very promising in the truck region in Norfolk county. Sweet potato plants are making a very good growth.

Truck crops are reported, seems to be holding on well. Apples are developing nicely, and, exce

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Freen' in the Gulf States the outlook for peaches continues poor, but the prospects for apples and other fruits are promising.

Sugar Again Goes Up. (By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, May 24.—All grades of refined sugar have been advanced five cents per one hundred pounds.

Mrs. E. T. Faulkner and little daughter, of Fourth Avenue, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Powell, of King William county. Miss Helen Hall has been visiting Mrs. D. K. Walthail, of Fourth Avenue. Miss Irene Harris left on Monday last to spend some time with friends in New Kent

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Mrs. Randolph and children, of Richmond, have been spending the past several days with Mrs. Neurolr, of Fourth Avenue, and the spending the past several weeks with relatives in Washington, D. C.

turned to her home after spending the past spending weeks with relatives in Washington, D. C.

Miss Julia Horns is the guest of relatives in King William county.

Miss Lucy Powell, of Goochland county, is the guest of Miss Delia Baker, of Fourth Avenue, Chestnut Hill.

The Sunbeam Society of Highland Park Church will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the lecture-room.

There will be no Weddraday evening service at Highland Park at Mizpah Church at Highland Park at Mizpah Church.

Washington at Mizpah Church as been quite siek for the past week.

Highland Park Church held its regular chliftens day service at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. The church was beautifully decorated by Mr. John Rateliffe in American beauties, ferns and other cut flowers. The flower cantata was most successfully rendered, Miss Lucy Scot representing the angel of the flowers and dozen or more girls and beying the forest flowers. Too much prach flowers. Too much prach flowers and control of the flowers with the service of the service

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made slow growth during the past week throughout the cotton belt, low night temperatures being generally reported as detrimental. Improved stands are reported in portions of the central and eastern districts, but irregular stands are the rule. Chopping continues and the fields are mostly well cultivated. Lye are very extensively reported from the central and eastern districts, and boil weevils continue to increase in the southern and central cotton counties of Texas.

The transplanting of tobacco has been delayed by dry weather in Kentucky, but more than half the crop has been set in North Carolina. Planting has begun in Virginia and Pennsylvania. In the more northerly tobacco States the plants are small. The First National Bank OF RICHMOND, VA., INVITES THE ACCOUNTS OF DEPOSITORS AND BORROWERS

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The Powhatan Goif Club played their first game of golf at their links here on yesterday afternoon. Dr. John L. Robinson, of Richmond, scored abend, Mrs. Robinson, second, and Mrs. Frank P. Read, third. At the close of the next garber of the links of the played an outdoor tea party will be served the club at Cosy Corners.

A game of because the club at Cosy Corners.
A game of because when the Melrose the crossed bats with the Highland Springs Whilppoorwils, the home team defeating the Ceptila Yachting Club went on their annual cruise down the noble James yesterday morning. A number of Highland Springs young people went with them.

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Barton Heights Methodist Church will hold its annual children's day service on Sunday, May 20th, at 4 P. M. A very delightful programme will be rendered, and all are invited to attend.

Presiding Elder Wilson will conduct the Presiding Elder Wilson will conduct the services at the Methodist Episcopal Church services at the Methodist Episcopal Church services at the first at \$1.6. After the devotional service quantity at \$1.6. After the services at the \$1.6. After the devotional service quantity at \$1.6. After the devotional service quantity at \$1.6. After the services at \$1.6. After the services at the service at \$1.6. After the services at \$1.6. After the services at the service quantity at \$1.6. After the services at the service at \$1.6. After the services at the service quantity at \$1.6. After the services at the service at \$1.6. After the service at \$1.6.

Mrs. Goodail, or Third Avenue, who been sick for soveral weeks, is improving slowly. The roll of honor for Highland Park School, ending for the week Friday, 20th is as follows: Senior A-Miss Elisabeth quity, Teacher,—Ressie Marshail, Faltine Herritian, Louise Rennie, Ruther,—Released Carke, Euis Bowman, Annie Sale, Lelia Wingfield, Julian Todd, Junior A-Virginia Fleming, Edna Bowman, Eighth Primary Grade-Miss Rena Cariton, Teacher,—Gordon Brown (1 week), Roy Rowman (1 week), Ernest Huffman (2 weeks), Roy Rowman (1 week), Linest Huffman (2 weeks), Roy Rowman (1 week), John Greshum (1 weeks, Berry (1 weeks), Lens dary (1 weeks, Caireno Austin (1 weeks), Austin (2 weeks), Vangen (2 First Grammar Grade dweek), Claires Safter (2 weeks), Lillie Gray (2 weeks), Louise of Carting Missellie Gray (2 weeks), Loui BARTON HEIGHTS.

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